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Inventor : Keith Edwin CURTIS, et al.
Title : Virtual Eprom Simulator Apparatus
Application No. : 09/720,570
Filed : Dec. 21, 2000
PCT No. : PCT/AU99/00511
Int. Filing Date : June 24, 1999

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Petition to Revive Unintentionally Abandoned Application Under 37 CFR § 1.137(b)

To the Commissioner for Patents:

The above-referenced national stage application became abandoned for failure to submit an acceptable oath or declaration within the time period set forth in the "Notification of Missing Requirements Under 35 U.S.C. 371 in the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) (Form PCT/DO/EO/905) mailed on March 12, 2001. On July 23, 2002, Applicant filed a "Petition to Revive an Abandoned Application under 37 CFR 1.137(b)" and "Response to Notification of Missing Requirements under 35 U.S.C. 371" and "petition under 37 CFR 1.183 to Suspend the Rules." Applicant's petition under 37 CFR 1.137(b) and applicant's petition under 37 CFR 1.183 were both dismissed without prejudice.

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Applicant hereby requests that the current application be revived as provided under 37 CFR 1.137(b). In support hereof, Applicant is enclosing herewith a Petition Under 37 CFR 1.47(b) in reply to the Notification of Missing Requirements Under 35 U.S.C. 371. It is respectfully requested that the current application be revived and the enclosed Petition Under 37 CFR 1.47(b) entered and considered for the above-referenced application.

Shahan Islam, Reg. No. 32,507, who was the attorney responsible for this application, recently left his employment at the firm of Katten Muchin Zavis Rosenman. In reviewing the files formerly under Mr. Islam's care and in particular the above-referenced application, Applicant's current attorneys discovered that the decision on the petition was issued on October 22, 2002 and that a "Renewed Petition Under 37 CFR 1.137(b)" was not filed, although Applicant never intended for this application to become abandoned.

Indeed, Applicant was never informed by Mr. Islam that the application had even been abandoned as an initial matter let alone that a petition to revive had been filed and was ultimately dismissed. It was only at Applicant's request as to the status of the application and the efforts of Applicant's current counsel that this abandonment was even discovered. As a result of these stunning discoveries, Applicant has employed new counsel to handle the prosecution of this application. As a result, Applicant hereby submits that the entire delay in filing the required reply from the due date for the reply and the mailing of the Notice of Abandonment and until the filing of a grantable petition pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.137(b) was unintentional.

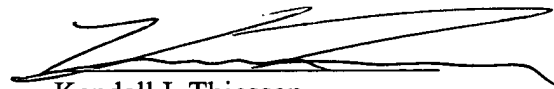
A check for the fee required by 37 C.F.R. § 1.137(b)(2) and as set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(m) is included with these materials. A check covering the required fees associated with the enclosed Petition Under 37 CFR 1.47(b) is also provided. It is believed that no other fees are due

with this petition. However, if any other fees are a due with this paper, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge such fee(s) to Deposit Account No. 50-0792.

Please direct any inquiries regarding this petition to the Applicant's undersigned attorney, who can be reached directly by telephone at (303) 298-5718.

Favorable consideration is respectfully solicited.

Respectfully submitted,

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Kendall I. Thiessen
Reg. No. 45,158

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Petition Under 37 CFR 1.47(b) for Acceptance of Application Where
No Inventors are Available

To the Commissioner for Patents:

A "Notification of Missing Requirements Under 35 U.S.C. 371 in the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US" (Form PCT/DO/EO/905) was mailed on March 12, 2001 for the above-referenced application. The Commissioner is hereby petitioned to accept the current application without the inventor's declaration.

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Declaration by 37 CFR 1.47(b) Applicant:

Pursuant to the rules as set forth in 37 CFR 1.47(b), enclosing herewith is a declaration signed by an officer of Aristocrat Technologies Australia Pty Limited, the 37 CFR 1.47(b) applicant (hereinafter "Applicant").

Attempts to Contact the Inventors:

As evidence of Applicant's diligent efforts in attempting to contact the inventors, Applicant is enclosing herewith a statement of Shahan Islam (Reg. No. 46,947).

As attested to in Mr. Islam's enclosed declaration, attempts were made to find the inventors' current addresses and telephone numbers through searches of Internet databases and inquiries made to the telephone company and directory assistance. Mr. Islam was unsuccessful in reaching the inventors by telephone.

Mr. Islam also contacted Michael J. Franham, former CEO of NuGame, Inc., the inventors' former employer. Mr. Franham was unable to provide any additional information as to the current address for the inventors.

Mr. Islam made further attempts to contact the inventors by sending them letters by Express Mail. On October 29, 2002, Mr. Islam sent a letters by Express Mail to the inventors at their respective last known addresses (Express Mail Receipt No. EV 105567285 US to Keith Edwin Curtis and Express Mail Receipt No. EV 105567294 US to Eugene Thomas Bond). Mr. Islam's letters to the inventors each included a copy of the application, a declaration for the

inventors' execution, and a pre-addressed Federal Express envelope and label with our firm's account number on it for the inventors' convenience in returning the declarations to Mr. Islam. Copies of Mr. Islam's letters to the inventors are enclosed herewith.

Mr. Islam attempted to track the Express Mailed package to Keith Curtis and found that an unsuccessful attempt at delivery was made. The Express Mail package sent to Keith Curtis was ultimately returned to Mr. Islam by the United States Postal Service as undeliverable. A copy of the notice from the United States Postal Service indicating that no delivery information for the Express Mail package to Keith Curtis is available is enclosed. Also enclosed is a copy of the Express Mail Receipt No. EV 105567285 US.

Mr. Islam attempted to track the Express Mailed package to Eugene Bond and discovered that an unsuccessful attempt was made to deliver the Express Mail package to Eugene Bond and that a second attempt would be made on November 1, 2002. The United States Postal Service's records show that the Express Mail package to Eugene Bond was delivered on November 1, 2002. The package was signed for by Barbara A. Bond. However, no response was received by Mr. Islam to the communication sent to Eugene Bond by Express Mail. A copy of the delivery information from the United States Postal Service is enclosed, as well as a copy of the Express Mail receipt No. EV 105567294 US.

The Last Known Address of the Inventors:

The last know address of joint-inventor Keith Curtis is as follows:

Mr. Keith Curtis
138 Park Ridge Lane
Henderson, Nevada 89015

The last known address of the inventor Eugene Bond is as follows:

Mr. Eugene T. Bond
6329 Lena King Avenue
Las Vegas, Nevada 89120

Assignment of Invention to Applicant:

As required by 37 CFR 1.47(b), Applicant hereby makes the following *prima facie* case that the invention of the current application has been assigned to Applicant.

On June 17, 1999, Applicant filed international application no. PCT/AU99/00511 which claimed priority to U.S. Provisional Application No. 60/090,514 which was filed on June 24, 1998. On December 21, 2000, Applicant filed a transmittal for entry into the national stage in the United States. The current application resulted from the entry into the national stage in the United States.

In an assignment executed by inventor Keith Curtis on June 23, 1998 and inventor Eugene Bond on June 22, 1998, the inventors assigned U.S. Provisional Application No. 60/090,514 and the subject invention to NuGame. A copy of this assignment is enclosed herewith.

Subsequently, in an assignment dated August 5, 1998, NuGame, Inc. assigned U.S. Provisional Application No. 60/090,514 and the subject invention to Aristocrat Leisure

Industries Pty. Ltd. A copy of the assignment from NuGame, Inc. to Aristocrat Leisure Industries Pty. Ltd. is enclosed herewith.

On April 4, 2001, Aristocrat Leisure Industries Pty. Ltd. changed its name to Aristocrat Technologies Australia Pty Limited. A copy of the name change document is enclosed herewith.

Filing of the Application is Necessary to Preserve the rights of the Parties:

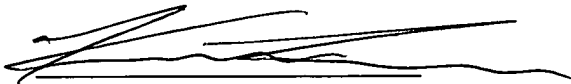
Applicant hereby submits that the filing of the current application is necessary to preserve its rights. As noted above, the current application was filed as the national stage of an international application claiming priority to U.S. Provision Application No. 60/090,514. The filing of the current application is necessary in order to preserve the priority filing date and the rights of the Assignee in the invention.

In view of the foregoing, it is respectfully requested that the Commissioner accept the current application without a signed declaration by the inventor.

Payment of the Petition fee is included in Check No. 737961. However, if any other fee is due with this paper, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge such fee to Deposit Account No. 50-0792.

Please direct any inquiries regarding this petition to the Applicant's undersigned attorney,
who may be reached directly by telephone at (303) 298-5718.

Respectfully submitted,

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**Declaration of Shahan Islam in Support of Petition Under 37 CFR 1.47(b) for Acceptance
of Application Where No Inventors are Available**

I, Shahan Islam (Reg. No. 32,507) declare that:

1. I was the Applicant's attorney for the above-referenced patent application.
2. I diligently attempted to locate the inventors of the above-referenced application.
3. I searched Internet databases and placed inquiries to the telephone company and directory assistance in order to search for current addresses for the inventors of the above-referenced application. I was not successful in reaching the inventors by telephone.
4. I attempted to contact the inventors for the above-referenced application by a letter sent by Express Mail (Express Mail Receipt No. EV 105567285 US to Keith Edwin Curtis and Express Mail Receipt No. EV 105567294 US to Eugene Thomas Bond) on October 29, 2002 to each of the inventors' last known addresses – Keith Edwin Curtis at 138 Park

Ridge Land, Henderson, Nevada 89015 and Eugene Thomas Bond at 6329 Lena King Avenue, Las Vegas, Nevada 89120.

5. The Express Mailed package to Keith Curtis was returned to me by the United States Postal Service as undeliverable.
6. In attempt to track the Express Mailed package to Eugene Thomas Bond, I found that the United States Postal Service made an unsuccessful attempt at delivery and a second attempt would be made.
7. I did not receive any reply to the letter sent by Express Mail to Eugene Bond. However, the package containing the letter sent by Express Mail to the inventor was not returned to me.
8. I further declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code, and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issued thereon.

Date: July 31, 2003


Shahan Islam



DECLARATION FOR PATENT APPLICATION

Docket No. 3128/FBR (031035-87558)

As a below named inventor, I hereby declare that:

My residence, post office address and citizenship are as stated below next to my name.

I believe I am the original, first and sole inventor (if only one name is listed below) or an original, first and joint inventor (if plural names are listed below) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled: _____

the specification of which:

(check one)

☐ is attached hereto

☒ was filed on December 21, 2000 as

Application Serial No. 09/720,570

and was amended on _____ (if applicable).

I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above identified specification, including the claims, as amended by an amendment referred to above.

I acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to the examination of this application in accordance with Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations §1.56(a).

I hereby claim foreign priority benefits under Title 35, United States Code, §119 of any foreign application(s) for patent or inventor's certificate listed below and have also identified below any foreign application for patent or inventor's certificate having a filing date before that of the application on which priority is claimed:

Prior Foreign Application(s)

Priority Not Claimed



(Number)

(Country)

(Day/Month/Year Filed)

I hereby claim the benefit under Title 35, United States Code §120 or §119(e) of any United States application(s) listed below and, insofar as the subject matter of each of the claims of this application is not disclosed in the prior United States application in the manner provided by the first paragraph of Title 35, United States Code, §112, I acknowledge the duty to disclose material information as defined in Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations §1.56(a) which occurred between the filing date of the prior application and the national or PCT international filing date of this application:

60/090,514

June 24, 1998

N/A

(Application Serial No.)

(Filing Date)

(Status-patented, pending, abandoned)

I hereby appoint as my attorney and agent **Aaron B. Karas, Reg. No. 18,923, Samson Helfgott, Reg. No. 23,072, Linda S. Chan, Reg. No. 42,400, Michael Markowitz, Reg. No. 30,659, Brian Myers, Reg. No. 49,947, Harris Wolin, Reg. No. 39,432, Thomas Bean, Reg. No. 44,528, Serle Mosoff, Reg. No. 25,900, and Emma Shleifer, Reg. No. 29,734** to prosecute this application and to transmit all business in the Patent and Trademark Office connected therewith.

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Full name of sole inventor Keith Edwin CURTIS

Residence Henderson, Nevada

Citizenship USA

Post Office Address 138 Park Ridge Lane, Henderson, Nevada 89015

Full name of 37 CFR 1.47(b) Applicant: Aristocrat Technologies Australia Pty Limited (as Assignee signing on behalf of unavailable inventor Keith Edwin Curtis)

37 CFR 1.47(b) Applicant's Signature _____ Date _____

Signor's Name: _____

Title: _____

Additional inventor Eugene Thomas BOND
Residence Las Vegas, Nevada Citizenship USA
Post Office Address 6329 Lena King Avenue, Las Vegas, Nevada 89120

Full name of 37 CFR 1.47(b) Applicant: Aristocrat Technologies Australia Pty Limited (as Assignee signing on behalf of unavailable inventor Keith Edwin Curtis)

37 CFR 1.47(b) Applicant's Signature _____ Date _____
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VIA EXPRESS MAIL

Mr. Keith Curtis
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Re: U.S. Patent Serial No. 09/720,570
Filed: December 21, 2000
For: Virtual Eprom Simulator Apparatus
Our Ref.: 3128/FBR (031035-87558)

Dear Keith:

Hi, it has been a long time since I have seen you or anybody else at the former Nugame.

As you will hopefully recall, I helped draft and supervised the drafting of the original priority U.S. Provisional Application which was assigned along with foreign counterparts of the application to Aristocrat. I also met you very briefly when I visited Nugame's (back then) office, although we talked on the phone and faxed drafts back and forth.

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We need to have you sign and date the Declaration on page 2 and return it to us in the enclosed,

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Please call me if you have any questions and, of course, if I can help you with anything, please advise, as it was a pleasure working with you back in 1998.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Shaham Islam".

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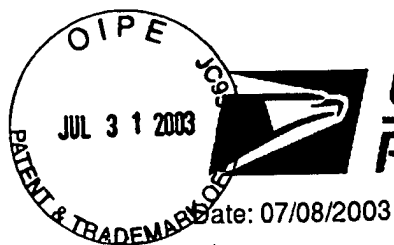
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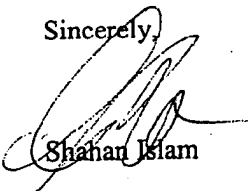
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ASSIGNMENT (JOINT)

WHEREAS, WE, Keith E. Curtis, Eugene T. Bond ASSIGNORS a citizens of
USA, residing at 117 Park Street, In Haverhill, NY 12011, 6729 Long King Ave, Las Vegas, NV 89129
 are the inventors of the Invention in VIRTUAL POKER SYSTEM AND METHOD
 for which we have executed an application for a Patent of the United States; and

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☐ which was filed on _____ Serial No. _____

WHEREAS, NuGame, Inc. ASSIGNEE is desirous of
 obtaining the entire right, title and interest in, to and under the said invention and the said application:

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the sum of One Dollar (\$1.00) to be in hand paid, and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, we, the said ASSIGNORS, have sold, assigned, transferred and set over, and by these presents do hereby sell, assign, transfer and set over, unto the said ASSIGNEE, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, the entire right, title and interest in, to and under the said invention, and the said United States application and all divisions, renewals and continuations thereof, and all Patents of the United States which may be granted thereon and all renewals and extensions thereof; and all applications for industrial property protection, including, without limitation, all applications for patents, utility models, and designs which may hereafter be filed for said invention in any country or countries foreign to the United States, together with the right to file such applications and the right to enforce in any country the Convention for the Protection of Industrial Property, or any other international agreement or the domestic laws of the country in which any such application is filed, as may be applicable; and all forms of industrial property protection, including, without limitation, patents, utility models, inventions and designs which may be granted for said invention in any country or countries foreign to the United States and all extensions, renewals and continuations thereof;

AND WE HEREBY authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks of the United States, and any Official of any country or countries foreign to the United States, whose duty it is to issue patents or other evidences or forms of industrial property protection on applications as aforesaid, to issue the same to the said ASSIGNEE, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, in accordance with the terms of this instrument.

AND WE HEREBY covenant and agree that we have full right to convey the entire interest herein assigned, and that we have not assigned, or will not assign, any agreement in conflict herewith.

AND WE HEREBY further covenant and agree that we will communicate to the said ASSIGNEE, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, any data known to us respecting said invention, and notify in any legal proceeding, sign all papers, execute all divisions, containing, renewals and foreign applications, make all rightful claim, and generally do everything possible to aid the said ASSIGNEE, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, to obtain and enforce proper protection for said invention in all countries.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, We have set our hands and seals the day and year set opposite our respective signatures.

Date: June 23 1998

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Keith E. Curtis
Eugene T. Bond
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ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, NuGame, Inc., a Nevada Corporation having its principal place of business at 2680 Chandler Avenue, #5, Las Vegas, NV 89120 (ASSIGNOR) is the owner of all right, title, interest, in and to the following U.S. Provisional Patent Applications:

<u>U.S. Provisional Application Serial No.</u>	<u>Filing Date</u>	<u>Inventor(s)</u>	<u>Title of the Invention</u>
60/085,892	May 18, 1998	Keith Edwin Curtis	Intelligent Input/Output Control System
60/086,632	May 23, 1998	Ronald Edward Mach	Secured Inter-Processor/Virtual Device Communications System
60/089,654	June 17, 1998	Eugene Thomas Bond	Software Verification and Authentication
60/089,785	June 18, 1998	Anthony Wayne Bond	Method of Linking Devices to Gaming Machines
60/090,514	June 24, 1998	Keith Edwin Curtis Eugene Thomas Bond	Virtual EPROM Simulator Apparatus
60/094,068	July 24, 1998	Anthony Wayne Bond Ronald Edward Mach	Input Output Interface and Device Abstraction

WHEREAS, Aristocrat Leisure Industries Pty. Ltd., an Australia Corporation having its principal place of business at 85-113 Dunning Ave. Rosebery, NSW, 2018, Australia (ASSIGNEE) is desirous of obtaining the entire right, title and interest in, to and under the said invention and the said application;

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the sum of One Dollar (\$1.00) and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, the said ASSIGNOR, has sold, assigned, transferred and set over, and by these presents does hereby sell, assign, transfer and set over, unto the said ASSIGNEE, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, the entire right, title and interest in, to and under said applications;

AND ASSIGNOR HEREBY authorizes and requests the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks of the United States, whose duty it is to issue patents, to issue the same to the said ASSIGNEE, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, in accordance with the terms of this instrument;

AND ASSIGNOR HEREBY covenants and agrees that it has full right to convey the entire interest herein assigned, and it has not executed, or will not execute, any agreement in conflict herewith.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, ASSIGNOR hereunto sets its hand and seals the day and year set opposite the signature.

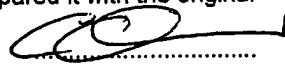
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Date: August 2, 1998

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Chris Owens

Patent Attorney and Justice of The Peace

Date... 2.7.2003

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Certificate of the Registration of a Company

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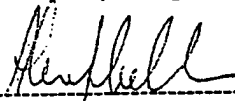
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